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## AT MORALITOS.

Desperate Assaults Made by the Spaniards Upon the Patriots.

Despite Their Bravery They Were Compelled to Retreat Each Time.

The Insurgents' Position Was Impregnable—The Spaniards' Loss Was About 200 Killed and Wounded, Including a Number of Officers.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Manuel Fuentes, a captain in the Cuban patriot army, arrived Monday in New York with important letters from Gen. Antonio Maceo and Aguirre to Delegate Estrada Palma. Fuentes was at the battle of Moralitos on August 20. That fight, he says, was the most important that has taken place in the province of Havana since the series of battles which occurred during the invasion last winter.

The patriots, numbering 2,700 men, under Gen. Aguirre, occupied impregnable positions, which were protected by four forts built of rails taken from the United railroad line.

The Spanish, commanded by Col. Teperizo and Lieut. Col. Albergoli, repeatedly attacked the patriots' position, but, despite their unquestionable bravery, were compelled to retreat each time. During the engagement the Spanish lost Lieut. Albergoli, three majors, two captains, several lieutenants, and more than 200 soldiers were killed or wounded.

Seeing that it was useless to continue the attack, Col. Teperizo retreated toward Jaruco, constantly harassed by patriot troops detached for that purpose.

Capt. Fuentes saw Gen. Quinlan Bandera two days after the latter passed the Artemisa troch from Pinar del Rio to Havana. On crossing it Bandera carried everything before him, barbed-wire fences and all. Fuentes will return to Cuba at the first opportunity.

**Dropped Dead in His Field.**  
BRYAN, O., Sept. 1.—John Lattanner, a farmer of Jefferson township, aged 59, dropped dead from apoplexy in his cornfield. He fought in the Thirty-eighth Ohio regiment.

**Lost Both Legs.**  
COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 1.—Samuel Linton, a yardman on the Hocking Valley road, fell under a train Tuesday morning and lost both legs. He will probably die.

**Judge Burrows Renominated.**  
WARREN, O., Sept. 1.—Hon. J. B. Burrows, of Painesville, was Tuesday renominated for judge by the republicans of this circuit. There was no opposition.

## FATHER AND MOTHER

Awakened by the Smoke, But Not in Time to Save Their Two Children.

LAWRENCEBURG, Ky., Sept. 1.—The ten-year-old daughter, Ethel, and the baby boy, Ernest, of John Gray, a merchant tailor, who came here from Cincinnati a few years ago, perished in a fire here shortly before 8 o'clock Tuesday morning.

It was only by heroic efforts that the mother and father and two other children were rescued.

All were suffocated before assistance reached them. Mrs. Gray is still in a critical condition.

The building that burned was the Hanks block. Gray used four of the upper rooms as a home and tailor shop. He and his wife were awakened by the dense smoke and rushed to the front window to cry for help. The wife was overcome and fell at the door at the head of the stairs.

Gray in the meantime went out to call for assistance. He returned to the building in an attempt to bring down the missing children. He, too, was overcome.

Hanks' block alone burned, but it was only through the energies of an impromptu fire brigade that several of the best buildings along Main street were saved.

Thomas Hanks is the heaviest loser. The block was worth about \$6,000, half covered by insurance.

The three storerooms downstairs were occupied by J. W. Bell as a confectionery, W. V. Rount as a saloon and John Smith as a barber shop. Rount's loss is about \$5,000, insured; Bell's loss was \$1,200, insured for \$900. A search will be made for the bodies of the children.

**Banker Spraker Dead.**

FONDA, N. Y., Sept. 1.—Daniel Spraker, president of the Mohawk river bank, died of pneumonia early Tuesday morning, aged 98 years. Mr. Spraker had been president of the bank since its establishment, over 40 years ago, and was probably the oldest bank president in the United States. He was the last of six brothers of the old historic Spraker family of Sprakers, N. Y.

**Weyler May Be Expelled From Cuba.**

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 1.—In advice received here from Havana it is reported that Capt. Gen. Weyler will be expelled from Cuba unless he is immediately recalled by the Madrid government. The advice is that the expulsion of the captain general was determined on at a recent meeting of the leaders of the conservative party.

**Young Crooke Won It.**

RICHMOND, Ky., Sept. 1.—In the competitive examination in this legislative district for a scholarship to the Lexington state college Cassius Marcellus Crooke won. The scholarship is good for four years.

## GEN. BUCKNER,

Of Kentucky, in the Lead for the Vice Presidency.

Delegates to the Sound Money Convention Gathering at Indianapolis.

Dragg, Vilas and Watterson Mentioned for the First Place on the Ticket—Hugh Wallace, of Washington, Starts a Boom for President Cleveland.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 1.—The hotel corridors began to fill up Monday evening, and the town took on an ante-convention look. At the Denison, the Grand and the Bates, the delegates were most numerous. Among the arrivals at the Denison were Jos. Outhwaite, of Columbus, O., a member of the executive committee; W. B. Haldeman, of Louisville; Gov. Thomas J. Jones, of Alabama. Ten delegates from Iowa arrived Monday evening. They favor the nomination of Col. Watterson. Mr. Outhwaite, of the executive committee, said his preference is Watterson for first place and Gen. Bragg for second place on the ticket.

The executive committee met Monday evening, but took no action, except to allot the press seats and arrange some minor details for the convention. Several drafts and suggested planks for the platform have been received by the committee; but they will be turned over to the committee on resolutions to be utilized or not, as that committee sees fit. The suggestion has been made that the platform be confined to the money issue alone, but there is little doubt that it will be made to cover the whole political situation. Its chief feature will be a refutation of the free silver plank of the Chicago platform, and a strong declaration for sound money and the preservation of the gold standard. A reply will also be made to the attitude of the Chicago convention on the constitutional powers of the supreme court and the executive. Its tariff plank will, it is said, be modeled after that of the democratic platform of 1892.

The Kentucky delegation will arrive Tuesday. Members of the delegation are in a somewhat embarrassing position. When the Kentucky state convention was held about ten days ago, the only ticket talked about was Bragg and Buckner and the convention adopted an enthusiastic resolution endorsing Gen. Buckner for vice-president. The delegates, therefore, will come to the national convention pledged to Buckner. They are all good friends of Henry Watterson, and since his boom has assumed such large proportions they are said to be disposed to keep quiet and let matters take their course. The resolution of the state convention, however, stops them from presenting Watterson, and his name will therefore have to be brought before the convention from another state. The Illinois delegation, it is understood, stands ready to present Watterson's name and make a strong effort to nominate him.

Strangely enough the Wisconsin delegation finds itself in a somewhat similar predicament. It will come here instructed for Bragg, and find a healthy boom on the ground for Senator Vilas. In this case, however, Senator Vilas himself will be with the delegation, and his friends say that he will probably head off his boom in short order if it lies within his power. The Minnesota delegation arrived Monday evening. It is understood that they will present for the vice presidency the name of Mr. D. W. Lawler, the chairman of the Minnesota delegation at the Chicago convention and the democratic national committeeman from that state, whose sound money views as expressed at Chicago excited so much antagonism among the silver men. Mr. Lawler was the democratic nominee for governor of Minnesota in 1893, and came very near election.

The Cleveland boom received a decided impetus Monday night when Mr. Hugh Wallace, of Washington, a delegate to the convention, reported here. He said that what the convention should, and in his opinion would do, was to nominate Mr. Cleveland.

"There are many reasons," continued the Pacific coast politician, for this course. The convention should be looking for a vote-getter, and beyond question Mr. Cleveland is 500,000 votes stronger than any man who can be named. It would be wise politics too. It would relieve the convention of the charge now made against it of being bolters. Mr. Cleveland has been three times nominated for president by the democratic party, and twice elected, and is the head of the democratic organization of the country. With Mr. Cleveland as the candidate, this convention would go before the country as the regular performance, with Bryan as a side show. As it is, Bryan is the main show, and the nominee of this convention, if he be other than Mr. Cleveland, will be the side show.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 1.—The early morning trains brought many delegates. Gen. Bragg and Senator Vilas of Wisconsin were among the first arrivals and took up quarters at the same hotel. Mr. J. P. Irish, formerly of the bureau of engraving and printing at the national capital, now a resident of California, came on as advance courier of the California delegation, reporting that the members from the southern part of the state were shut off by a washout and would not be able to reach Indianapolis.

The decorations of Tomlinson hall, where the convention will meet, have been completed and are very effective. It is the general opinion that the hall will compare favorably with those of the previous conventions, although it makes no great pretensions as to capacity. The interior tint of the walls makes an excellent foil for the gold tablet pillars that reach the ceiling from between the doors of the galleries. On each pillar has been placed the name of a state, surrounded by a wreath of gold. As there are not as many pillars as there are states, other of the names are displayed on the balconies. There are 21 groups of flags on the facings of both galleries, and each of these groups has a union shield surrounded by six flags. Red, white and blue bunting covers the ceiling, falling gracefully from the corners and sides and being caught up in the center. Across the center of the stage are the likenesses of Tilden, Hendricks and Cleveland, in the order named. To the east are Jefferson, Jackson and Joseph E. McDonald. The stage to be occupied by the distinguished guest is separated from the speakers' platform by a hedge of palms and a border of the same plants has been put around the press platform.

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## OYSTER MEN

Open the Season on the Jersey Coast—The Bivalves Are Juicy and Cheap.

PORT NORRIS, N. J., Sept. 1.—Everything is in readiness for the opening of the oyster season Tuesday. For three weeks past the towns of Newport, Cedarville, Maurice River and Port Norris have been the scenes of activity amongst the oyster men, who have been preparing for their hard winter's work. Monday night over 300 boats were in readiness to begin the work of dredging, and by daylight Tuesday morning commenced throwing off and pulling up their dredges laden with the succulent bivalves. By the time the season has fairly opened at least 500 boats and 3,000 men will be engaged in this industry.

Those who have tested their beds say that the oysters are not only large and juicy, but quite numerous. From now on till January the supply of oysters for New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey will come from Maurice River core. After that the Jersey oysters fall short and the southern oysters are in demand coming from Chesapeake bay. Oysters this winter will average the usual price, \$1.50 for prime oysters and \$3.50 for cullens.

## BITTEN BY A SKUNK.

Immediately the Victim Showed Symptoms of Hydrophobia—He is a Raving Maniac.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 1.—A special from St. Augustine, Fla., says: Allen Miller, residing at Moultrie Settlement near here, was bitten by a skunk Wednesday, and at once gave signs of hydrophobia. Before he was secured he badly bit his stepson, and ran through the woods biting trees and all that came in his way. He was tied to his bed, and Sunday in a paroxysm broke the lashing and escaped to the woods, severely biting two of his keepers, one dangerously.

Application was made to Judge Cooper here Sunday night for the sheriff and posse to capture Miller, who is a raving maniac.

## UNPROVOKED MURDER.

Sam Sutton Jailed on the Charge of Killing Bob Huston.

LANCASTER, Ky., Sept. 1.—Sam Sutton, who shot and killed Bob Huston at Bryantville, was lodged in jail here Monday. The killing is pronounced entirely unprovoked. Reports say that Sutton was very jealous of his wife.

The dead man was never known to have interfered with her. Sutton came where Huston was standing in a crowd, and telling some one to stand out of the way, fired upon Huston with a double-barreled shotgun.

The charge took effect in the neck, killing him instantly. Circuit Court is in session here, and Judge Sanfley ordered a special grand jury impaneled to investigate the case. He will be tried immediately.

## PITCHED BATTLE

Followed an Attempt to Rescue Colored Prisoners From Officers.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 1.—A serious riot took place at Camp Hill, Ala. Some county peace officers had arrested several Negroes, and were taking them to jail, when a body of Negroes attacked them, and undertook to release the prisoners. The officers were reinforced by a number of white residents, and a pitched battle followed, guns, axes and fence rails being the weapons used.

The Negroes finally retreated; not, however, until several of their number were killed or fatally wounded. One white man is said to have been fatally wounded. The trouble is not believed to be over.

## Flower for Temporary Chairman.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 1.—Monday afternoon the members of the executive committee agreed to recommend to the full national committee the selection of ex-Gov. Flower, of New York, as temporary chairman and to endeavor to have the committee on permanent organization select Senator Caffery for permanent chairman. It developed Monday that these selections were practically agreed upon when the executive committee held its meeting in Chicago three weeks ago, but no definite action was taken at that time.

## McLean Denies It.

NARRAGANSETT PIER, R. I., Sept. 1.—John R. McLean, of Cincinnati, denies the story sent out from Cincinnati to the effect that he wishes to succeed John Sherman in the United States senate.

**New Kentucky Postmaster.**  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—D. O. Woodruff has been appointed postmaster at Hamby Station, Hopkins county, Ky.



A cream of tartar Baking Powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Latest United States Government Food Report. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

## BUCKEYE NEWS.

New and Interesting Happenings Within Our Borders.

### THREE BURGLARS

Beat a Cripple and His Wife Into Insensibility, While the Son Leaps From the Window and Gives the Alarm.

ZANESVILLE, O., Sept. 1.—Three masked burglars battered in the front door of George Beidler's residence early Monday morning, and, going immediately to the bedroom occupied by Beidler and his wife, awakened the pair, who struggled, but were choked into insensibility. Beidler is a cripple. His wife grappled with one of the men, and succeeded in tearing the mask from his face before he overpowered her. A son hearing the commotion from his bed-room above, jumped from a second-story window and gave the alarm to the neighbors, frightening the burglars off.

Beidler resides about two miles and a half from the city, and is reputed to be quite well to do. The burglars got nothing.

### CHASED BY A MOB.

Agents of the Anti-Saloon League Threatened With Violence.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 1.—A determined mob is being made by the Anti-Saloon League to have enforced the law forbidding the selling of liquor within a radius of two miles of the state fair. Several arrests were made Monday, among them Samuel Harmon. League agents bought whisky at his Harbor road saloon and poured the liquor into bottles. The crowd in the saloon threatened to mob the agents and chased them up the road. Harmon was fined, but said the Liquor League was behind him; and he would sell openly. More arrests are to follow.

### WANTS DAMAGES.

Maggie M. Lyons Enters Suit Against Chas. N. Becker for Breach of Promise.

FRANKLIN, O., Sept. 1.—Maggie M. Lyons, of Greenwood Monday filed a suit for \$5,000 damages for breach of promise to marry against Charles N. Becker, a prosperous farmer of Pleasant township. She alleges that he proposed to her in 1890, and she has stood in readiness to carry out her promise until last July, when Becker married another woman named Lucy Kinney. Both are prominent, and the suit produced quite a sensation among the friends of the young people.

### Suicided in His Bedroom.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 1.—Alexander R. McIntyre, freight accountant of the Detroit and Cleveland Steam Navigation Co., shot himself through the heart Tuesday morning. He was 20 years old and a son of D. C. McIntyre, general freight and passenger agent of the company. He was found in his bedroom undressed and was dead. No reason is known for the suicide.

### The Report is Not True.

LIMA, O., Sept. 1.—The report that C. H. Roser has resigned as general manager of the Lima Northern is false. No such action is contemplated.

### Notorious Crook Arrested.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 1.—Among the crooks arrested here incident to the state fair is "Kid" Duncan, the notorious sneak thief.

### Frost at Lima, O.

LIMA, O., Sept. 1.—There was a heavy frost over this section Monday night, about three weeks earlier than for years.

## Arrival and Departure of Trains.

B. & O. S. W.  
DEPART—6:00 a. m., 10:40 a. m., 1:00 p. m., 6:00 p. m., 7:00 p. m., 11:55 p. m.  
ARRIVE—3:05 a. m., 8:10 a. m., 12:25 p. m., 6:55 p. m., 8:40 p. m., 8:55 p. m.

T. & O. C. Ex.  
LEAVE—2:10 p. m., 9:00, 4:00 a. m.  
ARRIVE—4:45, 12:15 p. m., 7:30 a. m.

C. & M.  
LEAVE—6:25 a. m., 2:55 p. m.  
ARRIVE—11:15 a. m., 7:05 p. m.

Z. & O.  
LEAVE—6:30 a. m., 2:40 p. m.  
ARRIVE—10:40 a. m., 5:05 p. m.

O. R. R. R. (Eastern Time.)  
SOUTH—9:34 a. m., 8:03, 7:33 p. m.  
NORTH—12:32, 3:50 a. m., 7:37 p. m.

## Iron and Tube Works in Receiver's Hands.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 1.—A special to the Press from Steubenville, O., says: Henry M. Priest, of Steubenville, has been appointed receiver of the Brilliant Iron and Tube works at Brilliant, O., by Judge Douthett. The company recently made an assignment to Jno. S. McManis, and this action takes all the property out of his hands.

### Fatal Foul Tip.

WILMINGTON, O., Sept. 1.—Willie Lembaek, aged 12 years, was probably fatally injured by being hit with a baseball Monday morning. The boys were playing ball at the South park, Lembaek behind the bat, when a foul ball struck him in the throat. It is thought he will die.

### Fought With His Tenant.

HICKSVILLE, O., Sept. 1.—Enoch Farmer, the wealthiest man in De-fiance county, was brought to this city Monday afternoon in an insensible condition, with a fractured skull and one eye destroyed, the result of a fight with George Gee, one of his tenants.

### Threw a Rock at a Train.

POMEROY, O., Sept. 1.—Jacob Gloeckner, a boy 11, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and to be confined in the county jail for 60 days for throwing a rock at a Hocking Valley train, which went through a window and hit a passenger.

### Porter in the State Library.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 1.—Wm. Johnson, of Zanesville, Monday succeeded John Cavanaugh as porter in the state library. Cavanaugh is a protege of Hon. Joseph P. Smith, the former librarian, and is therefore deposed.

### Death of Charles E. Warburton.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 1.—Chas. E. Warburton, proprietor of the Philadelphia Evening Telegram, was found dead in bed in his room at the Garden hotel Tuesday morning. Mr. Warburton was 61 years of age and had been afflicted with heart trouble for some time. A son, Barclay H. Warburton, publisher of the Telegram, and a daughter, Mrs. W. Howard Panoast, survive him.

### The Campaign Labor Bureau.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 1.—General Master Workman Sovereign in a letter published in the World Tuesday appeals to the "friends of labor, free silver and good government," to support financially and otherwise the campaign labor bureau which will be established in Chicago.

### Workmen Entombed Alive.

PADUCAH, Ky., Sept. 1.—Dick Barrah, Jim Sweetman, Bob Hillman and John Francis, employees of the city, were unloading a wagon Tuesday morning when an excavation gave way. Barrah was entombed alive, but the others were rescued.

### The Public Debt Increased.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—The debt statement issued Tuesday afternoon shows a net increase in the public debt, less cash in the treasury, during August of \$12,343,083. Total cash in the treasury \$849,388,746.

### Four Persons Injured in a Wreck.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Passenger train No. 5, north bound, on the Chicago & North Western railroad was wrecked at North Evanston Tuesday and four persons were injured.

### English Vessels Start for the Levant.

VALETTA, Island of Malta, Sept. 1.—The battleships Ramilies and Trafalgar, flagships of the British Mediterranean squadrons, and 12 other British warships have started for the Levant.

### Irving, Ky., Sept. 1.—Willis Moreland, aged 21, this county, who was badly wounded by Simpson McIntosh a few weeks ago, was drowned Saturday. He was subject to fits. He went to the spring for a bucket of water, and, having a fit, fell into the spring and was drowned.

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